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In response to the pending Office Action, mailed August 23, 2005 (Paper No. 200508), please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

-amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims in section a);

Finally, reconsideration is requested in view of the remarks set forth in section b).